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THE Legislature of South Carolina, nearly all negroes, passed a law some sessions ago for the benefit of the land owner, giving him a lien for rent in preference to the claims for the advance of provisions. In North Carolina a somewhat similar law is denounced by Republican demagogues—because a Democratic Legislature passed it.

A TILDEN AND VANCE CLUB is to be organized in each ward of this city. Such clubs should be formed in each township in the county. The thorough organization of the young men of the State is the surest means of victory. They possess a spirit, an energy, a determination and enthusiasm which never fails to win, where it has anything like a fair showing.

We are witnessing in this campaign what has never been seen before in North Carolina—Republicans abandoning their party to join the Democrats. It has become an every day occurrence. Almost every mail brings news of such conversions. On the contrary, we hear of no Democrats going over to the enemy—with the solitary exception of Lot Humphrey. These facts are among those sure signs which point to a decisive triumph this fall.

GRANT AND THE NORTH CAROLINA RADICALS.

The Craven county Republican Convention, which selected delegates to the State nominating convention, and which recommended Hon. Thos. Settle and William A. Smith for Governor and Lieutenant Governor, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, 1st. That to President Grant the thanks of the Republicans of this country are eminently due for his upright administration of the government," &c.

The Seventh Congressional District Republican Convention which met in Salisbury on the 30th of May adopted the following resolution:

"That we endorse Ulysses S. Grant as a soldier of approved valor, a statesman of enlightened views, and a patriot of untarnished integrity, under whose administration the finances of the nation have been placed upon a sound basis," &c.

Other resolutions of this character were adopted by many of the Republican Conventions. But these are enough. They are sample bricks—one from the East and the other from the West.

The Republicans of this State are down upon records that change not that cannot be altered, that can never be destroyed—as endorsers of President Grant personally, and his administration as a whole. They solemnly resolve that President Grant is "a patriot of untarnished integrity," and tell us that the thanks of the Republicans of North Carolina are eminently due for "his upright administration of the government."

Mr. Blaine was the favorite of the North Carolina delegation at Cincinnati. Their confidence in him was implicit. What Blaine says, therefore, must command the respect of even the most rabid Grant man.

Now, Mr. Blaine is reported as having said a few days ago that he has "no influence with the present administration," and that "no man has who is not a thief by instinct."

This comes from the most popular man in the Republican party—the man who came within a few votes of receiving its nomination for President.

But, the Republican Revenue officers, postmasters and the like, who manipulate the negroes of this State, tell their ignorant, blind dupes that Grant is "a patriot of untarnished integrity," and that he deserves the thanks of the party for "his upright administration."

Will honest Republicans follow such deceivers longer?

"WHAT DOES IT MEAN?"

Under this heading, the New York Herald comments upon Blaine's remark that no one has influence with Grant's Administration who is not "a thief by instinct."

Under the same heading we propose to direct the attention of the public to a serious matter in this State.

The Newberne Democrat says: "We learn that letters sent by some of our Democratic friends in this place are either maliciously lost, or destroyed by some postoffice official."

We know that a letter, enclosed in an envelope of official size, stamped with the requisite amount of postage, and addressed to the NEWS, was placed in the Post Office at Newberne, by a prominent Democrat, about the 17th of June last; and that it has never reached us. This letter contained some statements about the history of the carpet-bagger who, as chairman of the Craven County Republican Convention, reported the mendacious resolution thanking Grant for his "upright administration."

We are informed that this Republican worthy is assistant Postmaster, or at least has something to do with the Post Office at Newberne; and that he is one of the editors of that low, degraded, lying organ of carpet-bagging and thievery—the Newberne Times.

Now, what does the "loss" of the letter exposing his rascalities mean? Is he one of those favorites with the present administration, who is "a thief by instinct?" We wish information on this subject. Give us light.

Letters are sometimes accidentally lost in the mails, and the postmasters and mail agents are blameless; but, we have reason to believe otherwise in this case.

THIEVES BY INSTINCT.

We clip the following from the New York Herald:

"It is reported that Mr. Munn, of Chicago, asked Mr. Blaine to use his influence with General Grant for some purpose or other. Mr. Blaine, according to the story, replied in these terms: 'I have no influence with the present administration. No man has who is not a thief by instinct.' This is the most serious condemnation ever passed upon Grant. It is written by the most popular man in the Republican party—the man who came within an ace of receiving its nomination for President. No date is given to Mr. Blaine's letter, so we do not know whether it was written before or after the Convention.

This puts the Republicans in a serious dilemma. They must say that Blaine, the man whom they wanted to place in the Presidency, does not speak the truth, or else the officeholders who now have influence with Grant, are thieves 'by instinct.'

THE editor of the Hillsboro Recorder was told at Chapel Hill the other day that the late postmaster there "withheld documents forwarded by Mr. Davis to his constituents." Mr. Davis can't be defeated in that way. One of the great issues in this campaign is the fight against the

thieves. We have joined battle with them, and every dishonest act of Republican officials shows how necessary it is that the Republican party be driven from the seats of power which they have desecrated.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Sitting Bull's latest title is "Sedentary Taurus."

Edwin Booth has not been in California for twenty years. He will appear at the California Theatre on September 1.

Bret Harte's new play, "Two Men of Sandy Bar," was produced for the first time on any stage at Chicago Monday night, and was a great success.

The Chilean Supreme Court has sentenced a post-office clerk for robberies on the Money Order Department to consecutive terms of imprisonments, amounting to 124 years.

The Prince of Wales is a field marshal, colonel of the Eighteenth Hussars, rifle brigade, and Fourteenth Infantry, and captain-general of the artillery company, so that he draws five salaries.

Mr. Randall was asked on Saturday afternoon as to when he thought Congress would adjourn, to which he replied: "The Lord only knows; I don't." So, at least, the Providence Press says.

Earl Dudley refuses to make good his bet of £20,000 to £7,000 on Petrarch, because he believes the colt was pulled at the last Ascot. The affair is creating quite a stir in racing circles in England.

New York Herald: The first thing a San Francisco man does when he comes to New York is to get his boots blacked; the first thing a Boston man does is to get something to eat; the first thing a Chicago man does is to ask a policeman where is the nearest barroom to buy postage stamps.

The Rev. John S. C. Abbott has no hope of recovery. From his dying bed at Fair Haven he sent recently to an autograph collector two cards, one of which was inscribed: "John S. C. Abbott, daily expecting the arrival of the 'Chariot of Israel' to take him to his Heavenly home, July 14, 1876." On the other was written: "Penciled on a sick and dying bed of great happiness."

Murad V. is a Turkish Sultan of rather a different type from those who founded the Ottoman dominion. His proclamation to his army in Bosnia winds up with the words: "Far from you, I shall yet pray for the glory of your arms."

Mr. Thomas Hazlehurst, who, from his unbounded munificence to the church of his faith, was known as the Prince of Methodism, died recently in England at the age of 61 years. It is thought that during his life he gave \$250,000 for the building of chapels, and that he laid the foundation stones of 100 chapels in Great Britain and on the Continent. He spent the latter part of his life in writing and printing sermons, of which it is estimated that he gave away more than a million of copies.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Bristow has taken the stump in Vermont for Hayes.

Brooklyn Argus: Bluford Wilson testifies that he made a long argument to convince Grant that he didn't employ spies to watch him. The only regret the American people feel in this matter is, not that he made the argument, but that he didn't employ the spies.

Governor Tilden's letter, every one may at once take for granted, will hit the mark squarely. In statesmanlike style, Mr. Tilden will grasp the great subject of reform and hard-money, and give watch-words and rallying cries for the mighty army of the opposition.—N. Y. Sun.

The World publishes a carefully prepared tabular statement, from which it appears that from the foundation of the government to 1860, a period of seventy-one years, only \$28,640,170.30 was expended for public buildings. Since 1860 to the present time, however, embracing a period of fifteen years, the sum of \$41,269,746.68 have been expended for public buildings.

How is Governor Hayes—President-elect if such should be the result—to break with Secretary Chandler, the manager of the Republican canvass; with Morton, with Logan and the like politicians, his friends and supporters? How, unless he does break with them, can he accomplish the work of Reform which the people will expect from the successor of General Grant?—Baltimore Sun.

New York Herald: It is far better for the reform Republicans that the party should be beaten than that they should help once more, and for another four years, to saddle the country with the rule of such men as the Spencers, Sargents, Packards, Shepherds, Babcocks, Logans, Carpenters, Freilinghuysens, Robesons, Camerons and Mortons. We advise them to make their influence clearly predominant or else to abandon what, if they cannot do so, must be a hopeless task.

This whole business of the President's desertion of the side of the prosecution, and his allying himself with the scamps who were engaged in a conspiracy to defraud the Government, is shameful; and the only consolation we can obtain in connection with the matter is that, at the worst, President Grant and his cronies will have but a few months' more lease of power, and that however the November election may result, there will be a change for the better in the Executive branch of the Government after the 4th of next March.—Philadelphia Telegraph (Rep.)

CAMPAIGN NOTES.

A Tilden and Vance club has been formed in the second ward of Wilmington with John C. James as President.

We should organize everywhere, for much is at stake and every white man is expected to strike once more for freedom and reform.

Hillsboro Recorder: Put down the Democrats of Orange County as a unit, and a big one for Constitutional amendments. All think alike and will act alike on this question.

Statesville Landmark: Our Eastern fellow citizens must be rescued from the galling and humiliating yoke of negro rule. Their only relief is in the adoption of the proposed amendments.

Newberne Democrat: A large and working Tilden and Vance Club has been formed in the Sixth Township. The county is represented as being in a blaze of excitement. Ten clubs will be at work in Craven by the first Saturday in August.

Of Tom Settle, the Hillsboro Recorder says: There never has been presented to the people of North Carolina a more vulnerable target for the sport of assassins; never a man who has made tergiversation and treachery so close a study, and thus far so profitable a pursuit. He has been on all sides and with every party. He has been alike false to all.

He has had but one aim in life, and that was always to be on the winning side and always to hold office. And to accomplish this he has been false to his conscience, false to his instincts, false to his race, false to his country, bartering each and all by turns for the mean rewards of office, riding into power on the backs of a race he once helped to hold in subjection, or of white men whom in other days he would have scorned to recognize.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Benj. Moulton, of Craven, shot and wounded a thief in his cornfield a few nights ago.

Reidsville News: Judge Kerr, and Cloud will exchange Courts for the Fall term. Judge Cloud will hold Rockingham, Caswell and Chatham courts.

The Fayetteville La Fayette Light Infantry are visiting Wilmington and Smithville. They are encamped in Live Oak Grove, Smithville. They are enjoying themselves fishing, sea-bathing, etc.

Reidsville News: Judge Cloud and Gen. Douglas, were discussing the chances of beating our old and efficient representative in Congress, Gen. A. M. Scales; when the Judge remarked that "you can't find a man in the district who can beat Scales," whereupon Gen. Douglas says, "I can do it." Then Judge replied, Gen. I admire your pluck, but do—n your judgement."

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THERE IS A LONE COOL NOOK.

There's a lone cool nook where the shade is deep,  
And the waves of a river softly run  
To the shore where odorous muskats creep  
Between green rushes and a silver eddy.  
Where dragon flies are ever at play,  
And there a boat lies rocking away—  
Rocking, rocking, at rest and asleep,  
In the lone cool nook where the shade is deep.

When the day is hot you can lie at rest  
In the lone cool nook where the shade is deep,  
And the waves of a river softly run  
To the shore where odorous muskats creep  
Between green rushes and a silver eddy.  
Where dragon flies are ever at play,  
And there a boat lies rocking away—  
Rocking, rocking, at rest and asleep,  
In the lone cool nook where the shade is deep.

And at night, when the sky is full of stars,  
When shadowy birds fit down the shore,  
And the water-muskats glide to the stars,  
You may touch the waves with a noiseless  
Step,  
And there you'll find a lone cool nook,  
Where the waves of a river softly run  
To the shore where odorous muskats creep  
Between green rushes and a silver eddy.

Contrasted Scenes in the South.

[Baltimore Sun.]  
We publish this morning an interesting description of a contrasted scene in the South. It is a picture of the celebration of our national anniversary at Charlotteville, Ga., upon the grounds of the Hon. Alexander H. Stephens, and in the presence and under the auspices of the invalid statesman. In this celebration both races cordially joined, although it was so arranged that the most active participants were the colored people. The affectionate feelings, manifested on the part of the whites in return, are told with great clearness and really picturesque effect by the writer of the letter.

In sharp contrast to this is the occurrence on the same day, at Hartsburg, a dilapidated village of South Carolina, opposite to and divided only from the fine town of Augusta, Ga., by the Savannah river. Hartsburg is a place inhabited by colored people mainly. The trial justice of the village is Prince Rivers, a colored man, who is a returned major general in the militia of South Carolina. He is the same person who, some months ago, was suspected of complicity with the foolish attempt to provoke hostilities between the blacks and whites of Georgia, and who for a few days gave rise to great excitement and almost led to an armed collision between the races. Some colored men were arrested; the leaders who had incited them to assemble in arms took to flight; and after a patient hearing on the part of the judge and the good compromise of the Georgia jury, attention to the calm appeal of ex-Gov. Johnson, the prisoners were acquitted. In some parts of South Carolina the feeling between the two races is unfortunately very bitter; and in Hartsburg on the border line, which has become a sort of suburb of Augusta, Ga., and the resort of idle and vicious blacks from the interior of South Carolina, there is much bitterness between the two races. As Georgia is under a democratic administration, and in South Carolina the Republicans control the State, the difference between the conduct of the two races would seem to be mainly owing to the different manner in which the affairs of the two States are managed, and to the conciliatory influence of the Federal Government, and the antagonistic influences at work in the other. However this may be, it is certainly worth while to consider and inquire as to the different circumstances which produce such different results.

How Niagara Almost Ran Dry.

On March 29, 1848, a remarkable phenomenon occurred. The preceding winter had been a very cold one, and the ice formed on Lake Erie was unusually thick. In the warm days of early spring this mass of ice was loosened around the shores of the lake and detached from them. During the forenoon of the day named, a stiff easterly wind moved it up the lake. A little before sunset the wind ceased, and the ice was blown a mile from the west. This brought the vast field of ice back again with such tremendous force that it filled in the neck of the lake and its outlet, so as to form a very effective dam, that caused a remarkable diminution in the outflow of the water. Of course, it needed but little time for the falls to drain off the water below this dam. The consequence was that on the morning of the following day the river was nearly half gone. The American channel had dwindled to a deep and narrow creek. The British channel seemed to have been snatched away for consumption, and to be fast passing away. Far up from the head of Goat Island out beyond the old Tower to the deep channel of the Horseshoe fall, the water was gone. The rocks were bare, black and forbidding. The roar of Niagara had subsided to a moan. This extraordinary scene of the water's last day, and night, closed over the strange scene. But during the night the dam gave way, and the next morning the deep river was restored in all its strength, beauty and majesty.—*Serbian's Monthly.*

Jarvis and Engelhard—Speaking at Battleboro.

[Correspondence Roanoke News.]  
Last Saturday our streets were crowded with people of both colors to hear the speeches of Mr. Jarvis and Maj. Engelhard. After Mr. Jarvis made his address to the people on a platform which was about noon, a Jarvis rose before an intelligent assembly, that had gathered around the flag pole, and commenced his truly eloquent and telling speech, by saying that this was the first attempt of his during this campaign. He knew he would be elected, for it had always been his luck. The negroes paid equally as good attention as the whites, and seemed to be deeply impressed with what he said. He showed clearly the great and wilful extravagance of the Radical party, by figures obtained from their own official records, and asked the people if they could afford to buy flour from that party. He was frequently interrupted by showers of rain, but his hearers insisted that they could stand it if he could.

Maj. Engelhard then introduced a Jarvis, and made one of his usual stirring speeches, of about an hour's duration. He pointed out the miserable condition that we might be subjected to if we allowed this opportunity to pass us without the election of our ticket. He appealed with sympathetic devotion to the people around him to keep the counties of Edgecombe and Nash from the deleterious condition of Jones, where white women had actually been let out by negro commissioners to be treated as they pleased, either paid or not paid. Who knows but some of your wives or children will be subjected to the same condition if you sit idly down and do not do your duty in this canvass?

Suicide of a Bishop.

The cable announces that the Most Rev. Samuel Butler, Protestant Episcopal bishop of Meath, premier bishop of Ireland, committed suicide on Saturday by cutting his throat with a razor while laboring under temporary insanity, caused by congestion of the lungs and bronchitis. Bishop Butler was the second son of Trinity College, Dublin. His scholarly attainments were considerable, and in 1837 he was elected fellow of his college. In 1850 he was made professor of ecclesiastical history, and two years after became professor of divinity. In 1866 he was consecrated bishop of Meath, which position he continued to hold until the day of his death. Dr. Butler's theological works are numerous and important. Among the more important among them are "Sermons on the Crimean War," "Supreme Authority of the Scriptures," and a treatise on the "Relative Value of Divine and Human Knowledge." The disease of Meath was valued at \$25,500 per annum, and had a patronage of thirty-five livings.

Cruelties of the Eastern War.

A German traveler in Turkey, and authority on Turkish subjects, Julius Von Wicke, writes to the Cologne Gazette that in point of barbarity in warfare, there is nothing more atrocious than the treatment of the Christians by the Turks. The Montenegris and other so-called "Christians" and the Turks. The Montenegris always cut off the heads of their captives, smoke them and hang them up in their tents as trophies, while the Christians buy their captives up to the waist in sand and use them for targets. "It," says the writer, "there are any Germans who are disposed to sympathize with the Servians and their allies because they are fighting for freedom, humanity and civilization, this is a grievous error." The war has arisen simply from the warlike spirit of the Turkish slave, from the incessant agitation of a certain party in Russia, and from the ambitious plans of the Pan-Slavists, who wish to establish a great South Slavonian State on the Balkan peninsula and the lower Danube.

Republican Nominations.

A convention of the Republican party of the seventh district, met at Hillsboro on Saturday last, 27th inst., and nominated Col. Thomas J. Dola for Congress. He is the competitor of Hon. Wm. M. Robbins, who, at the last election, carried every county in the district, and will do again by increased minorities. E. L. W. Jones was chosen Elector. On the same day the Republican Senatorial District Convention met at the same place, and nominated T. N. Cooper, of Iredell, and Rev. Samuel P. Smith, of Wilkes, for the Senate, from Iredell, Alexander and Wilkes. The Wilkes county Republican Convention the same day nominated John Quincy Adams Bryan and Wash. Hayes, for the House. J. Q. A. expected the nomination for the Senate, and this is the "why" of his recent canvass of Iredell against A. C. Sharpe, Esq.

Week of Prayer.

The week of prayer appointed by the Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, commenced on Friday, the 4th of August, and will be observed throughout the jurisdiction. Both churches of that denomination in this city will hold services at their respective places of worship on Friday morning at 11 o'clock.—*Wilmington Journal.*

AN AFFAIR OF HONOR.—The Augusta (Ga.) Constitutionalist states, S. C., arrived in that city a few days since and sent Mr. Dawson of the Charleston News and Courier an invitation to meet him outside of South Carolina, in order to adjust a misunderstanding that has arisen between them. The Constitutionalist says it is said that Gen. Butler was the bearer of the note, and that Mr. Dawson had refused to accept the call, and stated that he could be found in Charleston at his place of business.

A Mathematical Genius, Mr. W. H. H. X., aged twenty-four, lives in Hopewell Township, Anderson county. He is styled "the Doctor" and the prophet of 1876. Without education, being unable to read or write, he displays the greatest familiarity with the ordinary rules of arithmetic. Almost instantaneously he reduces a given number of miles to feet and inches; years to hours minutes and seconds, and calculates the price of a bushel of a given number of pounds at a given rate per pound. Similar problems are solved with equal facility.—*Charleston News and Courier.*

The Imperial Russian connections of Edinburgh lose no opportunity of showing their dissatisfaction with the conduct of Queen Victoria and her family to the Grand Duchess, his wife. The Queen of Greece, a Russian princess and a first cousin of the Duchess of Edinburgh, has just declined to accompany her husband to England on a visit to his sister, the Princess of Wales. She waits for him on the Continent, and will go with him to St. Petersburg.

Less than eighteen months ago the Rochester Democrat (Rep.) said: "If Governor Tilden should be entirely deserted by his own party he will be sustained by the masses of the Republican party, who, above all things, wish for a pure and economical management of the affairs of the State." Now that paper, owned and edited by Governor Tilden, but we imagine that the masses of its party think now as they did when that article was written.

The inside history of Spiritualism is usually ludicrous, though the humor seems grim enough to its dupes. A good many people throughout the country who have received answers to sealed letters to the spirit land through a certain Mr. Flint may be pleased to know that that remarkable feat was accomplished by the aid of a small tea-cup.

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